TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 3050 - SB 3781

February 2, 2010

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires all local government records be open for inspection. Makes an exception for persons requesting records when they are party to civil litigation involving the local government. In these situations, the Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure governing discovery are to be followed instead.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

Assumption:

• According to the Comptroller's Office of Open Records Counsel, clarifying these procedures will not have a fiscal impact on local government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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